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GLENDALE

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jordan of Rocky Mount, N. C. spent Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walters Jordan also grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Partain and David, Tommy and John Paul Jordan.

Miss Jean Holt was home for Spring vacation from Mary Washington College. Also Mr. Capie Morton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Holt.

Mr. Kenneth Ferguson and Miss Debbie Parker were Wednesday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Marshall.

Mrs. Paul Nash is home from the hospital.

Little Mark Nash is in because he has mumps.

Mrs. Betty Blanks is the Census taker for this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Blanks visited his father, Mr. J. W. Blanks.

Miss Carolyn Nash was entertained with a Bridal Shower at the Sherwill Community Centers on Friday night.

Mrs. Jane Tibbs and Mrs. Sue Marshall visited Mrs. Ellen Nash in the hospital.

Barbara and Allen Harvey of Baltimore, grandchildren of Mrs. Josephine Harvey and Miss Emma Sue Howerton of Lynchburg visited Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Marshall on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Nash, Jr. were in Roanoke on Saturday night.

Mrs. Nancy Jones and Mrs. Sue Marshall and Karen attended a Bible School Workshop at Hat Creek Presbyterian Church on Sunday. This is a beautiful Mr. and Mrs. Richard Downing and Frank visited with Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Marshall over the week end. Mr. Downing had an agriculture meeting on Saturday in Lynchburg.

Mrs. Margurite Ferguson and Jackie were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Blanks visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Byers on Sunday.

Plans Clean-Up

April 13 through April 18 has been designated as Clean-up week in Pamplin Extra trips will be made for extra refuse.

Mayor Williams urges all citizens to cooperate in this project.

Give Now To Cancer Drive

The Mt. Shiloh Church, pastor and choir will render service at the Union Grove Baptist Church in Buckingham this Sunday evening at 3 p. m. Members of the choir will leave Appomattox at 2 p. m.

Impressive service was held at the Galilee Baptist Church last Sunday at the regular preaching hour. A large number of visitors attended the service. Special music was rendered by the senior and Junior choirs.

Regular evening service will be held at the Promise Land Baptist Church this Sunday evening at 7 p.m. All members and friends are cordially invited to be present. Special music will be rendered by the senior choir.

All churches that have not made their Red Cross report are asked to do so this week. The final report will be made to the county chairman the first of the week. Please send in your report this week. Only 10 of the 16 churches communities have reported thus far. We are hoping for a 100% cooperation.

The monthly meeting of the Appomattox Chapter of the NA ACP will be held at the Peaceful Grove Baptist Church on Monday evening at 7:30.

Mr. Vassett Harris is under going special treatment in the Lynchburg General Hospital. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

News was received here early this week of the sudden death of Mr. Everette Hamlet in New Port News, Va. He is the brother of Mrs. Bessie Watson and Mrs. Irma Brown. We extend to the families our heartfelt sympathy. Funeral services will be conducted in New Port News this Thursday.

The Assembly a new organization proposed for Appomattox County will hold its organizational meeting on April 15 at 7:30 p.m. at the Appomattox Intermediate School.

The Cancer drive is on. Each person is asked to give a donation to help fight this dreadful disease. The drive will be conducted during the month of April Leaders have been appointed in each church community to ask for a free will donation. Please help in any way that you can.

Don't forget to attend Sunday School and Church this Sunday morning.

Mayor Proclaims FHA Week

PROCLAMATION

To the People of Appomattox:

Whereas, the Future Homemakers of America, the nation-al organization for home economics students in junior and senior high schools of the nation, is celebrating its 25th anniversary this year; and,

Whereas, the future of our Community, State, and Nation depends to a large extent upon the strength of our homes and the Future Homemakers of America is an organization concerned with building strong foundations for future homes and developing leaders for our communities; and,

Whereas, the week of April 5 through 11 has been designated as National FHA Week to be observed by the 604,000 members of Future Homemakers of America;

Now Therefore, I Henry B. Pack, do hereby proclaim the week beginning April 5 as FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA WEEK in Appomattox, and urge all citizens to acquaint themselves with the activities of the Future Homemakers of America organization, to show interest in it and to give help and encouragement to the members who are working hard to achieve knowledge that will make outstanding homemakers and leaders in our communities.

Signed, Henry B. Pack, Mayor

To Speak Sun. At Liberty

Mr. Dale Hamilton, an architect of Charlottesville, Virginia will be present at Liberty Baptist Church on Sunday morning, April 12, to speak on "The Ministry of Men in a local Baptist Church". Mr. Hamilton is the former president of the Baptist Men of Virginia and is in wide demand for speaker to Baptist men's groups.

He will also be present on Saturday evening for an organizational meeting of a Baptist Men's Group at Liberty Baptist Church. Men from neighboring churches in the county are invited to come and share in this fellowship that evening. Each man coming is asked to bring a covered dish.

The Pastor Speaks

Challenge For Youth
"God's Will"
Romans 12:1-2

An important question for many christian young people today is, "What is God's will for my life?" No one should want to be out of God's will and miss what God has planned for him. It is a tragic thought to go through life, realize when it is too late, you missed God's will.

There are some guidelines to help you follow the path God would want for you. First, you must desire God's will for your life. It is difficult to fight what you want to do, but your own will must be separated from God's will. You must put aside your own feelings and desires.

Jesus knew he must die on a cross. He knew the pain and agony he would experience, yet He desired God's will. In Matt. 26:39, Jesus said, ". . . not as I will, but as thou wilt." He desired God's will for His life.

Second, you must determine God's will. Satan will attempt to side-track you in every possible way. He will use other people to help you change your mind. Boy friends and girl friends will be used to send one another in a different direction that God desires. It is interesting to observe how young people will receive direction concerning God's will, meet a new boy friend or girl friend, and suddenly change their direction, rationalizing that it is God's will.

Adults and even parents will cause one to be sidetracked. I have heard parents say to a young person, "That's not God's will for you." What they often mean is, "This my will for you."

Others can be helpful in advising you concerning God's will, but be sure of their motivation. Determine God's will for your life and then don't vary from it.

Third, you must defend God's will. Jesus said in John 4:34, ". . . my meat is to do the will of Him that sent me, and to finish His work." That burning desire and determination will help you to defend God's will in your life. When the fight gets rough and you begin to experience other influences, defend God's will. Defend the will of Him that sent you, and God will give you all you need to finish His work. Be on the defence for outside, foreign influences that you know will cause you to vary.

Missing God's will can cause heartache and frustration for a young person. Knowing God's will can produce peace and happiness. Desire, determine and defend God's will and enjoy peace and meaning in your life. Remember: The non-christian reads your life and not his Bible.

Earnie W. Lucas, Pastor
Bible Baptist Church
Appomattox, Va. 24522

THE BIBLE SPEAKS

BY LAWRENCE W. ALTHOUSE

SIGNS AND WONDERS

Lesson for April 12, 1970

Background Scripture: Acts 2; 43 through 6:7.
Devotional Reading: Hebrews 11: 32 through 12:2.

Peter and John got into serious difficulty because they healed a man. What the authorities were concerned with was not so much that a man who had been lame was now healed of his infirmity, but that a remarkable sign had been performed in the name of Jesus. Men were won to the Good News of Jesus Christ, not only by powerful testimonies, but also by works in which the power of God was revealed.

Signs And Wonders Today

Many Christians assume that these God-given "signs and wonders" ceased with the close of the New Testamentage. But many of the early Church Fathers speak of the healing ministry of the early church. St. Francis of Assisi practiced healing through prayer and the laying-on-of-hands. Martin Luther spoke of it in his letters to Lutheran pastors and himself was instrumental in the healing of his lieutenant, Philip Melanchton. Other reformers such as John Wesley and George Fox both practiced and wrote of it.

And today? Someone has recently said: "Cancer is being healed today through prayer. There are too many cases of the healing of cancer through prayer to explain away by coincidence or misdiagnosis." These were not the words of a preacher, evangelist, or "faith healer," but a medical doctor, Clair B. King, M.D., of Canton, Ohio. A graduate of the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine and a member of the American Medical Association and American Academy of Ophthalmology, Dr. King is one of a considerable number of physicians and physical scientists who are greatly interested in the rise of the church's healing ministry today.

The Age Is Not Over

Speaking to a group of clergymen in the historic St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in Philadelphia, Dr. King told of weekly healing services conducted in his church, Christ Presbyterian Church, Canton, during which prayers are offered for the sick of mind, body and spirit and the New Testament practice of the laying-on-of-hands is carried on. "The age of miracles is not over," said Dr. King.

For one thing, many of us have seen too many examples of God's healing power mediate through prayer to disregard this great force. For another, spiritual healing is not so "unscientific" as many people suppose. For many of us, not only is our God too small, but our world of science is also too narrow. We are finding once again the truth enunciated by St. Augustine: "Miracles do not happen in contradiction to nature, but only in contradiction to that which is known to us of nature." All healing takes place according to law, although we may not be familiar with the laws by which spiritual healing takes place, just as the laws of aero dynamics have always existed but until recently have been unknown.

Wonder And Amazement

Some of the principles of spiritual healing are evident in Acts 3. (1) It involves concentration of attention and effort. Peter said to the man, "Look at us." We often think of prayer as getting God's attention; in reality it is a matter of giving him our undivided attention so that he may do with us as he desires. (2) It involves the expectation that we will receive something. Unless we truly expect something to happen, we keep closed the door through which the power of God must enter. (3) It involves the power of the living Lord. Peter said: ". . . in the name of Jesus of Nazareth, walk." (4) It often involves the touch of a human hand as a channel to God's power. Peter reached down and took the man by the hand "and raised him up." (5) It may provide fresh evidence of the power of God at work in the world today. Those who saw what happened "were filled with wonder and amazement."

The ministry of healing is a means by which the signs and wonders of God are still being performed in our world today.

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Mrs. Hamlett's 4-H

Mrs. Hamlett's 4-H met Wednesday, March 18, 1970. We elected new officers. They are President, Ricky Wingfield, vice president, Vanessa Phelps, secretary - Jimmy Morgan, reporter - Kay Chenault, song leaders - Janice Bryant, Kathy Fratrick.

Mr. James talked about Public Speaking. He gave us sheets on speaking. The meeting was then adjourned.

Kaye Chenault, Rep.

Appomattox Students Denied Constitutional Rights

Editor to The Times-Virginian:

As a concerned senior at Appomattox County High School, I have been reading the articles printed in the paper about our school color situation. A group of student council members met with the principal, Mr. Frank Chubek, to decide the school colors to be voted on. In this meeting, the former students of Carver-Price H. S. told the former students of Appomattox High School that they could not have the color blue (blue and white was the combination of A. H. S.) mentioned in any of the color combinations to be voted on. Yet, one of the accepted color combinations was scarlet red and gold (maroon and gold were the CP school colors). This was the first injustice the former A.H.S. students had to put up with. Later on, the former C-P students said they had been promised beforehand (by whom we do not know) that blue would not be one of our colors.

The morning of the election, the SCA co-president announced on the intercom to all ACHS students that write-in votes would not count, and would be labelled as mis-marked ballots. One of our basic democratic rights of the vote was denied us right there—we could not vote for what we wanted. The former A.H.S. constitution gave us the right to vote as we wished, but the excuse has been made that we are a new school, and we do not have a constitution which gives us that right. Just the fact that the government of the United States gives us that right should be enough to justify the validity of the write-in votes. The students of ACHS voted for what they wanted—blue and white. Not to retain ties with the old school, but because we liked those colors. Also, we have gotten new uniforms within the past two years in various sports which were colored blue and white, and if the colors were to be changed, we would be put to great expense in just trying to buy new outfits for cheerleaders, football players, basketball players, etc. Appomattox is not a rich county, and there are more essential things we need the money for in the field of education.

Also, some of the former students of C-PHS wanted the blue and white combination, and when we were told we could not write-in votes, they were denying the right of those students as well as those of AHS. Since ACHS is a brand new school, it has NEVER HAD ANY SCHOOL COLORS, so why isn't blue and white a new combination just as well as scarlet red and gold, or black and gold, or green and white? If we ever get around to a vote on a school nickname, wouldn't Rebels or Panthers be brand new names for the brand new school?

This issue has become one not just of disagreement on school colors, but the denial of basic democratic rights. In governmental elections, write-in votes MUST BE COUNTED, because this is a democracy and we voice our opinions through the vote. The majority rules—no matter whether the item with plurality was already on the ballot or was written in. In ACHS's case, though, anyone who has heard of our situation has seen that it doesn't matter what the majority of the students want, but of what a few adults in leadership want. We, the students, do not know who are behind the results of the election, but we do know that our vote, an expression of our opinion has been totally disregarded: that an election was held to make it seem as if we were under democratic rule, but this has been changed around to suit some people. Our vote doesn't count—we have been under a dictatorship—even though we expressed our desire, a few people don't want us to have blue and white, so they think they can just dismiss our opinion.

If we allow our rights to be taken away from us so easily, what will come next? We, the students, have enough to worry about in things to do with education, such as classes being so crowded (ACHS has at least about 50 more people now than when the school building was AHS), and the trouble with getting to classes with additional students is increased. We are all trying very hard to make the integration work, but it is made more difficult when democratic rights are denied ALL STUDENTS OF ACHS, BLACK AND WHITE.

We just wish to remain democratic—in ALL phases of school life, not just in school colors.

DONNA HUBBARD
Appomattox.

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When the weather does break there's a lot of catching up to do. The rainy weather has minimized the spreading of lime and fertilizer.

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J. C. Caldwell, Jr. will have Appomattox County's largest acreage of Coastal bermudagrass. Four acres of "Weevil-Shield" and 7 acre of "Tifton" will be seeded. He'll be using a 5 percent granular herbicide, called Eptam, to control weeds.

We look forward to watching the seeding develop.

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Hugh Bradford tells me that he will have a new corn planter; and he selected one that is designed for either sod plantings or conventional plantings.

Good planting corn, soybeans, grain sorghum is growing. We look forward to seeing a large portion of our corn crop when it is killed sod within five days after planting. This is a very way corn can be economically produced on many Piedmont Virginia soils.

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This week another top dairyman added the electronic data method of keeping farm records. They are your guide to better management.

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Buck Marshall has had fescue poisoning confirmed in his cow herd. This is most unfortunate because so little is known about cause or treatment.

This is the first confirmed case of fescue poisoning in Appomattox County even though we have grown fescue for 25 years. Farm researchers have been unable to trigger the mechanism that causes the condition. Therefore, very little research has been possible.

Actually there is disagreement as to the causative agent, some researchers say that it is a fungus, while others say it is a toxicoid complex.

Of the 23 adult animals in Buck's herd, about a dozen have been affected in some manner. Some have lost their tails above the switch, lameness was, as usual, the first indication of trouble. Hopefully the lameness will begin to disappear and worse is over.

No extension forage specialist at the University of Kentucky says that he has never observed fescue poisoning when clover is present. Poisoning occurs after a drough or in the fall of the year.

Why do cattle become poisoned on some farms and not others? Will it reoccur next year? Are there management practices that could be used to prevent poisoning? Is it correct that old stands are more likely to induce poisoning than young stands? Can animals be affected with cured fescue hay?

These and numerous other questions need answers. We have only opinions on which to base recommendations.

Earlier this year there was an outbreak in Nottoway County. Cattle on this farm lost their hooves and not their tails. Why? Another interesting aspect of the unanswered questions about fescue poisoning.

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PRECIPITATION:

LAST WEEK	1.05
THIS MONTH	1.05
THIS YEAR	7.24

PANCAKES By The Dozens-Oakville School -Sat.5-8p.m.

HOLLYWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Torrence and Mrs. James Conner spent Sunday in Richmond with their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Torrence, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Wanley Gilliam and Mrs. Bennett Gilliam of Farmville and Mrs. W. T. Covington were supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman Sunday night. They also called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith spent the week end in Charlotte, N. C. with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Smith and family.

Visitor during the week end of Mrs. Charlie Bagby were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McFadden, Mr. and Mrs. James Woodall, David and Mr. Dannie Coater, Mr. H. W Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Woodall and Ronnie, Mr. an Mrs. W. H. Wingfield, Julia and Mary Ellen and Mr. Bill Wat on.

Miss Odell Webb is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Woodson of Lynchburg.

We are glad to know Mr. Bob Jenkins is home from the hospital. We hope he may soon be well.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Webb visited Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson and family Sunday.

Mrs. Billy Ingle visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Schampel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wingfield and family and Mr. Bill Watson spent Sunday in Bedford with Mr. and Mrs. James Waldron and family.

Mrs. Mattie C. Franklin, Mrs. Raymond Franklin, Ricky and Dave were dinner guests Friday of Mrs. Charlie Bagby, Mrs. M. L. Covington visited Mrs. Bagby Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Webb and Miss Joyce Webb were visitors Sunday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Webb and family.

Mrs. Glady's Woodson and Mrs. Gus Torrence were Sunday afternoon guests afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. James Maxwell and little Becky Cook visited Charlie Bagby Thursday night.

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